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.....PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.....**Democrats' Opportunity at Hand.**

Not within the past sixteen years has a more propitious opportunity presented itself for the restoration of the Democratic party to power, in State and Nation, than that which presents itself at the present time, is the opinion of the leading politicians of the country.

"Republican leaders in Congress," writes Mr. Stanley from Washington in the Courier-Journal, "make no pretense of concealing their anxiety over the outcome of the national elections next November. It is a common thing to hear Republican members of the House admit that the chances are against the election of a Republican majority in the House next fall. Some Republicans entertain very grave doubts over the presidential election, but console themselves with the hope that the Democrats may do the wrong thing at the right time."

Willson, as a Governor, so far has met the predictions of his enemies and disappointed his friends, and Dictator Bradley is doing his level best to disrupt the G. O. P. in the State; the situation is becoming acute between the Taft and Fairbanks hosts, and the financial depression has gotten in its work to the detriment of the party in power, which is invariably held to accountability by the people for such an occurrence, whether justly responsible or not. So, if the Democratic party can be depended upon to take advantage of the situation and not do the wrong thing at the right time, the country may yet be redeemed.

A Party Calamity.

Will wonders never cease? When you read this from the rank partisan Republican sheet, the Lexington Leader, you will answer never. It is as follows:

"The election of Gov. Bradley to the United States Senate by an unholy alliance was accomplished by the sacrifice of every hope of securing non-partisan registration, election and redistricting laws, and by the practical repudiation of the Republican platform in favor of a uniform county unit bill, and it has wrecked Gov. Willson's administration so far as constructive political legislation is concerned, and opened the way for the rehabilitation of Gov. Beckham on a temperance platform. The United States Senatorship was not worth the price the Republicans of Kentucky paid for it, and we believe the day will come when the election of Senator Bradley will be looked upon as a party calamity."

As Well Abolish State Courts.

The time honored doctrine of States' Rights, received a right severe jolt in the Supreme Court at Washington last week when that august body declared unconstitutional the railroad rate laws passed by the States of North Carolina and Minnesota. The only member of the Court that dissented was Justice Harlan, the Kentuckian.

Several weeks ago there were two suits filed in the Clark Circuit Court against the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company and certain of its employees living at Lexington, who were charged with the duty of inspecting and keeping in repair boilers of its engines. These suits were brought by the representatives of an engineer and fireman who were killed by the explosion of a boiler at Colby in Clark county, something more than a year ago. When the attorneys began taking proof preparatory to the trial of these cases they were served with an injunction issued by the United States Court prohibiting them from taking any further steps in the cases in the State Court.

The outcome of this procedure is being watched with interest by the legal fraternity.

If the Federal Court can control cases in the State Courts, the latter had as well be abolished.

The public debt of the United States increased \$9,299,591 during March. More bond issues imminent.

The President is said to threaten a veto of the public building bills in order to force Congress to provide for four new battleships.

A Temporary Interest.

Just after the election of 1904 a man who was prominent among the advocates of Mr. Parker's nomination at St. Louis remarked that a great many people who were advocating Mr. Parker's nomination, showed very little interest in the campaign after the nomination. It is true. There are certain financial interests which are always active before the convention they want to dominate both parties and nominate both candidates. After the convention adjourns, they pick out their candidate and proceed to help elect him, ignoring entirely the other candidate, even if they helped to force him upon the convention. That is just the situation at this time. There are certain monopolistic influences that are demanding that the democrats nominate a man friendly to predatory wealth. These men have their representatives in the various states and they are working under hand. When they talk to a man they say: "Of course, we can not prevent instructions, but we can get the right kind of men on the delegation, and then watch our opportunity." These men are speaking in whispers; they are working underground. If they can control the Democratic convention and nominate some one in whom the predatory interests have confidence, they will then feel sure that the democratic party has no chance, and proceed to help the republican candidate.

Can they fool the voters? Not this time. The experience of four years ago has not been forgotten and with that experience fresh in memory, the democrats will put none but the trustworthy on guard. If the democratic voter wants to understand the real purpose of the trust papers, let him compare the eulogies of Judge Parker which appeared before the convention with the denunciations of him that followed. These papers that told what a splendid man he was and how strong the party would be under his leadership turned against him as soon as the campaign opened.

The interest of predatory wealth in the democratic party is only temporary. It is manifested just before the convention because it would cost less to defeat the democratic party in the convention than to defeat it at the polls, and the defeat of the democratic party is the only thing which it desires.

Forcing Legislation.

John Sharp Williams, the Democratic leader, was too much for Payne and Cannon who, he said, resembled "Falstaff" and "Old Man Afraid of his Horses." Mr. Williams declared the Democrats had been held up as filibusters, but he denied that was true. He described the "filibuster" as the man engaged in preventing legislation. "We," he said, amid Democratic applause, "are engaged in the business of trying to force legislation."

Why Not Before Election?

In his letter to the Indiana republican convention wherein he pleaded for postponement of tariff revision until after the presidential election, Vice President Fairbanks said: "We can, however revise schedules as may require revision immediately following the coming election and before the fourth of next March."

Well, why not revise one or two schedules before the election in order to give the people a sample of tariff revision by the republican party?

Why not revise the wood pulp schedule for which revision republican publishers are pleading so earnestly?

Democracy Appeals to Youth.

Democracy appeals to the young because it is the growing doctrine. Behind it are the eternal and irresistible and eternal forces which bring victory to the truth. The young man wants an opportunity. Democracy's aim is justice and the young man's heart responds to democracy's arguments.

We may be on the verge of war with Venezuela, and there is a little war cloud in Manchuria involving this country, Russia, and Japan.

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